LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **THURSDAY**, **MAY 28**, **2009**, upon the application of **SWIFT ENERGY OPERATING**, **LLC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the 11,350' Zone, Reservoir D, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E and to create a single drilling and production unit for the 11,350' Zone, Reservoir D.
- 2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the said sand unit.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To designate a unit operator and unit well for the unit created herein.
- 5. To permit applicant, Swift Energy Operating, LLC to drill, designate and utilize the Swift Energy Operating, LLC-State Lease 212 No. 163 Well as an alternate unit well for the 11350 RD SUA, such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 6. To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the 11350 RD SUA which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within the unit.
- 7. To grant a single unit allowable for the 11350 RD SUA and to permit the operator of the unit to produce said unit allowables from the unit well, the proposed alternate unit well, or from any combination at its option.
- 8. To find that, except to the extent contrary in the order granted by the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order Nos. 149-AAAA shall remain in full force and effect.
- 9. To consider such other matters as may pertinent

The 11,350' Zone, Reservoir D is hereby defined by as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 10,470' and 10,712' (electrical log measurements) (-9,675' to -9,871' subsea) in the Swift Energy Operating-State Lease 212 No. 151 Well, located in Section 15, Township 20 South, Range 26 East.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana. www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.